PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME								
Confirmation No.	: 2648	Docket No.:	6416.US.C1 - ABB1207P1212US					
Serial No.:	10/092,837	Filing Date:	March 7, 2002					
Group Art Unit:	1743	Examiner:	Yelena G. Gakh					
Applicants:	Mark C. Bach et al.							
Invention:	STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING A DETERMINATION OF AN ITEM OF INTEREST IN A SAMPLE							

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>January 4, 3005</u> in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

	Extension Fee Within:	First Month		Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month	
	Large Entity:		\$120.00	⊠	\$450.00		\$1,020.00		\$1,590.00
	Small Entity:		\$60.00		\$225.00		\$510.00		\$795.00
⊠	A check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.								
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.								
⊠	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.								

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on June 2, 2005.

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